

DOCKET NO.: 017-0017

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In Re Application of:**

Nicholas C. Nicolaides, Luigi Grasso, and  
Philip M. Sass

**Serial No.:** 09/760,285

**Group No.:** 1645-32

**Filing Date:** January 15, 2001

**Examiner:** Not assigned

**For:** CHEMICAL INHIBITORS OF MISMATCH REPAIR

**DATE OF DEPOSIT:** APRIL 25, 2001

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING  
DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL  
SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID  
ON THE DATE INDICATED ABOVE AND IS ADDRESSED  
TO BOX MISSING PARTS, ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER  
FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231.

*Patrick J. Farley*  
TYPED NAME: Patrick J. Farley  
REGISTRATION NO.: 42,524

**BOX MISSING PARTS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington DC 20231

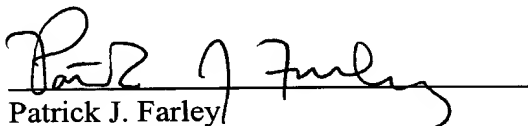
**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted"  
dated April 9, 2001, a response to which is due June 9, 2001, enclosed herewith for filing is:

- ☒ The original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by the inventors. An unexecuted copy of this document, attached to the above-identified specification, was filed by Express Mail No. EL568026716US on January 15, 2001.
- ☒ An Associate Power of Attorney is also enclosed.
- ☐ Request for Corrected Filing Receipt.
- ☒ Applicants have previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27
- ☐ Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27 as:

- ☐ an Independent Inventor
- ☐ a Small Business Concern
- ☐ a Nonprofit Organization
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$65.00 is attached to cover the surcharge. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3050.
- ☐ Please charge the surcharge to my Deposit Account No. 23-3050 in the amount of \$@@.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3050. This sheet is attached in duplicate.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 and under 37 CFR 1.20(d).
- ☐ The issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).
- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for presentation of extra claims.

Date: April 25, 2001

  
Patrick J. Farley/  
Registration No. 42,524

Woodcock Washburn Kurtz  
Mackiewicz & Norris LLP  
One Liberty Place - 46th Floor  
Philadelphia PA 19103  
Telephone: (215) 568-3100  
Facsimile: (215) 568-3439



\$  
#06  
Sector

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231  
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/760,285	01/15/2001	Nicholas C. Nicolaides	MOR-0017

CONFIRMATION NO. 2664

## FORMALITIES LETTER



\*OC000000005950931\*

Woodcock Washburn Kurtz  
Mackiewicz & Norris LLP  
One Liberty Place - 46th Floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Date Mailed: 04/09/2001

## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

05/01/2001 TGEDAMU1 00000017 09760285

01 FC:205

65.00 OP

Adjustment date: 05/16/2001 Y6IZAW

05/01/2001 TGEDAMU1 00000017 09760285

01 FC:205

-65.00 OP

Repln. Ref: 05/16/2001 Y6IZAW 0013354000

DAN:233050

Name/Number:09760285

FC: 704

\$65.00 CR

DOCKET NO.: MOR-0017

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Nicholas C. Nicolaides, Luigi Grasso,  
and Philip M. Sass

Serial No.: 09/760,285

Group Art Unit: Not assigned

Filing Date: January 15, 2001

Examiner: Not assigned

For: CHEMICAL INHIBITORS OF MISMATCH REPAIR

DATE OF DEPOSIT: March 12, 2001

OFFICE OF FINANCE  
REFUND BRANCH  
2001 MAR 15 AM 9:48  
US PATENT & TRADEMARK  
OFFICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING  
DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL  
SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID  
ON THE DATE INDICATED ABOVE AND IS ADDRESSED  
TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,  
WASHINGTON, DC 20231.

Patrick J. Farley  
TYPED NAME: Patrick J. Farley  
REGISTRATION NO.: 42,524

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington DC 20231

ATTENTION: Refund Section, Accounting Division, Office of Finance

REQUEST FOR REFUND  
(37 CFR 1.28(a))

RECEIVED  
APR - 9 2001  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1700

I. SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Adjustment dates 03/23/2001 NVILLARI  
01/15/2001 REMARKED C0000010 09760285  
01 FC:101  
02 FC:102  
03 FC:103  
04 FC:104

☒ Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR  
\$1.27

☒ Applicants by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status  
under 37 CFR §1.27 as:

01 FC:201 355.00 CP  
02 FC:202 160.00 CP  
03 FC:203 468.00 CP  
04 FC:204 65.00 CP

☐ an Independent Inventor

☒ a Small Business Concern

Repin. Ref: 03/23/2001 NVILLARI 0006051  
DRI:233050 Name/Number:09760285  
FC: 704 \$1188.00 CP

☐ a Nonprofit Organization

II. REFUND REQUEST

This request for refund is made within three months of the date a fee was paid  
in this application on January 15, 2001, in the amount of \$ 2,236.

## III. FEES PAID FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED

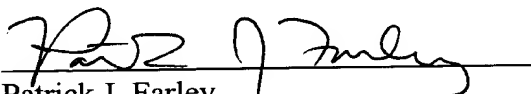
FEE PAID:	REFUND REQUESTED:
Filing Fee	\$1,118.00
Surcharge for filing the basic filing fee on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 CFR 1.16(e) or 37 CFR 1.16(l))	\$
Surcharge for filing the oath or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 CFR 1.16(e))	\$
Extension of Term	\$
Issue Fee	\$
Patent Maintenance <input type="checkbox"/> First Maintenance Fee <input type="checkbox"/> Second Maintenance Fee <input type="checkbox"/> Third Maintenance Fee	\$
Patent Maintenance Fee Surcharge	\$
Other:	\$
<b>TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED:</b>	<b>\$1,118.00</b>

## IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make refund by

☒ crediting Deposit Account No. 23-3050.☐ refunding overpayment.

Date: March 12, 2001

  
Patrick J. Farley  
Registration No. 42,524

Woodcock Washburn Kurtz  
Mackiewicz & Norris LLP  
One Liberty Place - 46th Floor  
Philadelphia PA 19103  
Telephone: (215) 568-3100  
Facsimile: (215) 568-3439

RECEIVED  
APR - 9 2001  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1700